IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Pergolizzi et al.

Serial No.:

08/479,995

Group Art Unit: 1631

Filed:

June 7, 1995

Ex'r: Ardin H. Marschel, Ph.D.

For:

ANALYTE DETECTION UTILIZING POLYNUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES, COMPOSITION, PROCESS AND KIT

(As Previously Amended)

July 23, 2003

FILED BY HAND

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT (FOLLOWING APPLICANTS' AMENDMENT OF MARCH 28, 2003)

Dear Sirs:

There is no extension request or fee necessary for this Supplemental Amendment because there are no outstanding actions to which Applicants must respond. On March 14, 2000, the Examiner suspended prosecution of the above-captioned application due to a potential interference. Applicants hereby request that the Examiner lift the suspension to the extent necessary to enter the following two claims.

In The Claims:

Please add claims 546 and 547 as follows: